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ON INTERNATIONAL SEISMIC DATA EXCHANGE

CTB MESSAGE NO. 145

FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF SOVIET DELEGATION ILLUSTRATIVE
LANGUAGE FOR GUIDELINES ON INTERNATIONAL SEISMIC DATA
EXCHANGE TO BE INCLUDED IN ANNEX TO MULTILATERAL TREATY.
BEGIN TEXT:

ANNEX. GUIDELINES FOR AN INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE OF
SEISMIC DATA. (ILLUSTRATIVE TEXT)

1. EACH STATE PARTY TO THE TREATY SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT
TO PARTICIPATE IN AN INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE OF SEISMIC
DATA, HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO AS THE INTERNATIONAL
EXCHANGE.

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2. EACH STATE PARTY SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DESIGNATE
ANY OF ITS SEISMIC STATIONS FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE
INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE.

3. EACH STATE PARTY SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO RECEIVE
ALL OF THE SEISMIC DATA OF THE INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE.

4. A STATE PARTY PARTICIPATING IN THE INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE SHALL DESIGNATE AN APPROPRIATE BODY THROUGH WHICH PARTICIPATION IN THE INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE SHALL BE CARRIED OUT.

5. THE INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE SHALL BE IMPLEMENTED THROUGH THE GLOBAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM OF THE WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION OR THROUGH OTHER COMMUNICATIONS CHANNELS.

6. INTERNATIONAL SEISMIC DATA COLLECTION CENTERS SHALL BE ESTABLISHED IN MOSCOW (U.S.S.R.), WASHINGTON, D.C. (U.S.A.) AND MELBOURNE (AUSTRALIA), WHICH SHALL RECEIVE ALL SEISMIC DATA SUBMITTED BY STATES PARTY. THE INTERNATIONAL CENTERS SHALL BE UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE STATES ON WHOSE TERRITORY THEY ARE LOCATED. THE CENTERS SHALL NOT ASSESS THE NATURE OF SEISMIC EVENTS.

7. FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING DETAILED ORGANIZATIONAL AND PROCEDURAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR IMPLEMENTING THE INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE GUIDELINES FOR SUCH AN EXCHANGE DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPHS 1 THROUGH 6 OF THIS ANNEX, AN AD HOC COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS OF STATES PARTY TO THE TREATY SHALL BE ESTABLISHED. IN DEVELOPING SUCH ARRANGEMENTS, THE COMMITTEE SHALL MAKE USE OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE AD HOC GROUP OF SEISMIC EXPERTS OF THE CONFERENCE OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISARMAMENT
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(DOCUMENT...). THE AD HOC COMMITTEE SHALL BE CONVENED NOT LATER THAN 90 DAYS AFTER THE ENTRY OF THE TREATY INTO FORCE. EACH STATE PARTY SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO SEND ITS REPRESENTATIVES TO THE AD HOC COMMITTEE. THE COMMITTEE SHALL OPERATE ON THE BASIS OF CONSENSUS. END TEXT.
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